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Mr. Douglas Bennet
Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations
Department of State
2201 C Street, N.W. Room 7261
Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Mr. Bennet:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter I received from Mr. Kenneth W. Diehl, one of my constituents, regarding the unclaimed bodies located in Delaware which were brought from Jonestown.

It would be very much appreciated if you would have someone review his questions and furnish me with information, which I could forward to my constituent.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Marjorie S. Holt
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Member of Congress

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Washington, DC 20260

Dear Mrs. Carter:

This will confirm some of our conversation of 1/25/79.

At Valley Forge Memorial Gardens on South Gulph Road in King of Prussia, Pa. we have 16 cemetery lots all together in one plot that we would like to dispose of. Current selling price of these lots are \$350-\$375.

Should you find that firm guidelines have been set-up by Veterans Administration or any other government agency as to price limitations, I would gladly accept a reasonable figure that would be submitted.

Should the above mentioned lots be disposed of and more were needed, 16 more would be available that belong to my brother-in-law. These to were part of my Father-in-laws' estate.

I think that this covers the needed detail, should you need any other information please feel free to contact me at home, 766-4166 or here 245-4950.

I again want to thank you for the way you have tried to expedite this entire matter, I remain

Most Sincerely

Ken Diehl 1/24/79
Ken Diehl

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Dear Mrs. Holt:

Taking the liberty to write to you in hope of getting some help.....

Several years ago my father-in-law died leaving my wife 16 cemetery lots in a beautiful cemetery in King of Prussia, Pa.. The lots that are being sold now are bringing \$350-\$400 each.

We tried selling them by using realtors, funeral directors etc. with no takers. Before moving to Glen Burnie 28 years ago I was a neighbor of Ed Garmatz, Ed prior to his leaving Congress was trying to put through a Bill for Veterans that they could purchase lots at \$175 in public cemetery to relieve the crowded situation in some of the military cemeteries.

Did this bill ever go through?? If so will you kindly advise as to who to contact to discuss those above mentioned lots we have.

I was in Dover, Delaware 10 days ago and I was told that the bodies flown there that are still unclaimed from that Africa mess would be buried in the East. If this information is correct would you have any idea as to what department to contact to get more detailed information.

We would be most agreeable to sell all sixteen lots which are in one plot at any figure that they would consider being fair price.

Trusting my request did not incur to much trouble, I remain

Most Sincerely

Kenneth W. Diehl
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716 Delaware Ave.

Glen Burnie, Md. 21061